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In the application of:

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SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

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Sir:

In response to the Action mailed August 9, 2005, please amend this application as follows:

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